

## Gardening Classes for Children Slated Here

The Youth Education Section of the Department of Arboretum and Garden will offer three after-school classes in gardening this fall for children in the first through sixth grades. Registration for the classes opens Friday. Parents interested in enrolling their children should write to Youth Education, South Coast Botanic Garden, 26701 Rolling Hills Road, Palos Verdes Peninsula, for a schedule and a registration form for each child they wish to enroll. Classes will be filled in the order that completed registration forms are received. The classes, which are free, are part of a continuing youth education program conducted by the Los Angeles County Department of Arboretum and Garden in Arcadia, and the South Coast facility. The three classes at South Coast are as follows: Indoor Gardens for grades 1 and 2 will meet once a week for six weeks. Children are given independent experience in planting and plant propagation. Gardening Skills, for grades 3 and 4, to meet once a week for eight weeks. Basic garden practices in community garden areas are taught. Gardening for Grades 5 and 6, a full course, will meet every Saturday morning. Each student is assigned a 50-square-foot plot in which they will plant, cultivate, and harvest vegetables.

## Japanese Scouts Speak Baseball, Not English

Geographically, Osaka, Japan, and Torrance are about as far apart as two cities can be. But the two cities moved closer last week when two Japanese delegates to the Boy Scout World Jamboree were made honorary members of North Torrance Troop 761 in a special Court of Honor at Alondra Park Recreation Center. Scoutmaster Robert M. Church conferred the honorary memberships in the Boy Scouts of America on Masayasu Takahashi of Okayama, Japan, who were two of the 130 Japanese Boy Scouts traveling through the South Bay area on their way back to Japan. While in this area, they stayed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Lias, 3831 W. 171st St. John Lias had just returned from the jamboree in Farragut, Idaho. The Court of Honor was followed by an "American-style" family picnic held as a gesture of friendship for the two scouts. Nearly 100 people turned out to welcome them. "It is hoped that correspondence between the American and Japanese scouts will cement this new relationship," Scoutmaster Church told the Press-Herald. What the two scouts lacked in knowledge of English, they more than compensated for in their knowledge of baseball. A wild game followed

the picnic, in which the two boys, playing on opposite teams, hit balls out of the park. Watermelon finished off the afternoon, and Masayasu and Hisao left to attend a Nisei Week celebration in Little Tokyo with the rest of the Japanese scouts. During their two-day stay here, they were taken to the beach, Disneyland, church services, and the picnic as guests of the Lias family.

**KINDERGARTEN ENROLLMENT**  
Elementary schools of California expect 383,000 children to enroll in kindergarten this year—a 2.4 per cent increase over last year.

## Open House Event Set In Lomita

Final plans for the third annual open house and registration day are being made at St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church in Lomita. The event will be held Sunday, Sept. 10, from 8:30 a.m. until 1:30 p.m. in the parish hall, 255th and Eshelman streets. Displays will explain the religious education program to parents and Salesian sisters and lay teachers will be on hand to provide additional information and register students. Mrs. Edward Lyon is general chairman. She is assisted by Mrs. Roger Cotton and Mrs. Harold Potter, refreshment chairman. Mrs. Joseph Regan, teachers: Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Swain and Mrs. David Holstrom, hospitality: Mr. and Mrs. Norman Murrelock, adult education; and Miss Martha Chellev, Mrs. Vern Smith, and Val Gelineau, Mrs. Cotton and Mrs. Potter have extended an invitation to all parishioners to attend. Refreshments will be served. (Advertisement)

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